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SUBJECT: WEO'S ACCEPT US AMENDMENTS TO DRAFT RES ON LEBANON
SC COMPLAINT

REF: USUN 1360

1. AT MEETING LATE THIS MORNING U.K. FRANCE, AUSTRALIA
AND AUSTRIA WZWAPRL #
CHANGES TO WEO DRAFT RES (REFTEL)
WHICH UNDER SECRETARY SISCO AND ASSISTANT SECRETARY BUFFUM
TELEPHONED TO AMB. SCALI EARLIER THIS MORNING. WEO'S
DID, HOWEVER, MAKE THREE OTHER CHANGES: EDITORIAL CHANGE IN
PREAMBULAR PARA 3, REVERSAL OP PARAS 1 AND 2, AND
SUBSTITUTION OF "ESPECIALLY" FOR "INCLUDING" RE DEPLORING
QIRYAT SHMONA TRAGEDY. (LATTER IS US/UK TACTIC, TO LEAVE
SOME ROOM FOR FALLBACK.)

2. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF WEO DRAFT, WHICH FRENCH HAVE GIVEN
TO LEBANESE AND BRITISH TO ISRAELIS:

THE SECURITY COUNCIL,
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HAVING CONSIDERED THE AGENDA CONTAINED IN DOCUMENT
S/AGENDA/.....,

HAVING NOTED THE CONTENTS OF THE LETTERS OF THE
PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF LEBANON DATED 11 AND 14 APRIL
AND OF THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF ISRAEL DATED 12
APRIL,

HAVING HEARD THE STATEMENTS OF THE FOREIGN MINISTER OF
LEBANON AND OF THE REPRESENTATIVE OF ISRAEL,

DEEPLY DISTURBED AT THE CONTINUATION OF ACTS OF VIOLENCE,

GRAVELY CONCERNED THAT SUCH ACTS MIGHT ENDANGER EFFORTS
NOW TAKING PLACE TO BRING ABOUT A JUST AND LASTING
PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST,

1. DEPLORES ISRAEL'S VIOLATION OF LEBANON'S TERRITORIAL
INTEGRITY AND SOVEREIGNTY AND CALLS ONCE MORE ON THE GOVERN-
MENT OF ISRAEL TO REFRAIN FROM FURTHER MILITARY ACTIONS
AND THREATS AGAINST LEBANON;

2. DEPLORES ALL ACTS OF VIOLENCE, ESPECIALLY THOSE
WHICH, AS AT QIRYAT SHMONA, RESULT IN THE TRAGIC LOSS OF
INNOCENT CIVILIAN LIFE AND URGES ALL CONCERNED TO REFRAIN
FROM ANY FURTHER ACTS OF VIOLENCE;

3. CALLS UPON ALL GOVERNMENTS CONCERNED TO FULFILL THEIR
OBLIGATIONS UNDER INTERNATIONAL LAW RELATING TO THE
ORGANIZATION WITHIN THEIR TERRITORY OF ACTS OF FORCE AGAINST
THE TERRITORY OF ANOTHER STATE;

4. CALLS UPON ALL PARTIES TO REFRAIN FROM ANY ACTION
WHICH MIGHT ENDANGER NEGOTIATIONS AIMED AT ACHIEVING A
JUST AND LASTING PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

3. WE HAVE TRIED AND FAILED TO HAVE THIS AFTERNOON'S
SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING POSTPONED DESPITE ARGUMENT THAT
INTENSIVE CONSULTATIONS ON DRAFT RES WERE TAKING PLACE.
IRAQI SC PRES SHIBIB REFUSED REQUEST FOR POSTPONEMENT
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BY AUSTRALIA, AUSTRIA AND NON-ALIGNED ON GROUND THAT HE,
AS IRAQI REP, WAS UNDER INSTRUCTIONS TO MAKE STRONG
STATEMENT THIS AFTERNOON. ACCORDINGLY, WE HAVE DECIDED
AMBASSADOR SCALI WILL NOT BE IN SEAT, AND US WILL NOT
SPEAK AT TODAY'S SESSION. AT OUR SUGGESTION, COSTA RICA
REP ALSO HAS AGREED NOT TO SPEAK TODAY AND WE URGING
PERUVIAN TO FOLLOW SUIT.
SCALI

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